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LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME BY ABILITY TO SPEAK ENGLISH FOR THE POPULATION 5 YEARS AND OVER

Universe: Population 5 years and over

2010-2014 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates

Supporting documentation on code lists, subject definitions, data accuracy, and statistical testing can be found on the American Community Survey website in the Data and Documentation section.

Sample size and data quality measures (including coverage rates, allocation rates, and response rates) can be found on the American Community Survey website in the Methodology section.

Although the American Community Survey (ACS) produces population, demographic and housing unit estimates, it is the Census Bureau's Population Estimates Program that produces and disseminates the official estimates of the population for the nation, states, counties, cities and towns and estimates of housing units for states and counties.

	Las Vegas ci	Las Vegas city, Nevada	
	Estimate	Margin of Error	
Total:	557,457	+/-1,213	
Speak only English	370,490	+/-3,892	
Spanish or Spanish Creole:	141,400	+/-3,463	
Speak English "very well"	75,729	+/-2,406	
Speak English less than "very well"	65,671	+/-2,760	
French (incl. Patois, Cajun):	1,865	+/-365	
Speak English "very well"	1,456	+/-308	
Speak English less than "very well"	409	+/-166	
French Creole:	226	+/-152	
Speak English "very well"	195	+/-142	
Speak English less than "very well"	31	+/-46	
Italian:	999	+/-212	
Speak English "very well"	703	+/-196	
Speak English less than "very well"	296	+/-90	
Portuguese or Portuguese Creole:	662	+/-239	
Speak English "very well"	576	+/-18	
Speak English less than "very well"	86	+/-80	
German:	1,823	+/-290	
Speak English "very well"	1,652	+/-269	
Speak English less than "very well"	171	+/-94	
Yiddish:	186	+/-90	
Speak English "very well"	175	+/-8	
Speak English less than "very well"	11	+/-1	
Other West Germanic languages:	288	+/-142	
Speak English "very well"	226	+/-98	
Speak English less than "very well"	62	+/-7	
Scandinavian languages:	323	+/-162	
Speak English "very well"	308	+/-160	
Speak English less than "very well"	15	+/-20	
Greek:	392	+/-168	
Speak English "very well"	348	+/-150	
Speak English less than "very well"	44	+/-3;	
Russian:	1,007	+/-25	
Speak English "very well"	778	+/-22	
Speak English less than "very well"	229	+/-100	
Polish:	881	+/-317	

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	Las Vegas cit	y, Nevada
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Speak English "very well"	793	+/-296
Speak English less than "very well"	88	+/-65
Serbo-Croatian:	373	+/-206
Speak English "very well"	269	+/-158
Speak English less than "very well"	104	+/-68
Other Slavic languages:	847	+/-372
Speak English "very well"	544	+/-195
Speak English less than "very well"	303	+/-238
Armenian:	960	+/-370
Speak English "very well"	735	+/-324
Speak English less than "very well"	225	+/-147
Persian:	1,459	+/-572
Speak English "very well"	1,109	+/-471
Speak English less than "very well"	350	+/-168
Gujarati:	46	+/-52
Speak English "very well"	29	+/-39
Speak English less than "very well"	17	+/-22
Hindi:	328	+/-290
Speak English "very well"	270	+/-234
Speak English less than "very well"	58	+/-74
Urdu:	346	+/-195
Speak English "very well"	256	+/-156
Speak English less than "very well"	90	+/-78
Other Indic languages:	796	+/-309
Speak English "very well"	649	+/-251
Speak English less than "very well"	147	+/-101
Other Indo-European languages:	622	+/-259
Speak English "very well"	355	+/-146
Speak English less than "very well"	267	+/-146
Chinese:	4,206	+/-877
Speak English "very well"	2,062	+/-604
Speak English less than "very well"	2,144	+/-407
Japanese:	1,029	+/-234
Speak English "very well"	748	+/-195
Speak English less than "very well"	281	+/-97
Korean:	2,612	+/-537
Speak English "very well"	852	+/-274
Speak English less than "very well"	1,760	+/-423
Mon-Khmer, Cambodian:	274	+/-137
Speak English "very well"	98	+/-56
Speak English less than "very well"	176	+/-118
Hmong:	8	+/-13
Speak English "very well"	8	+/-13
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-30
Thai:	1,196	+/-377
Speak English "very well"	422	+/-147
Speak English less than "very well"	774	+/-299
Laotian:	527	+/-495
Speak English "very well"	248	+/-325
Speak English less than "very well"	279	+/-188
Vietnamese:	1,226	+/-335
Speak English "very well"	575	+/-195
Speak English less than "very well"	651	+/-213
Other Asian languages:	379	+/-186
Speak English "very well"	229	+/-134
Speak English less than "very well"	150	+/-91
Tagalog:	12,831	+/-1,098
Speak English "very well"	8,750	+/-793
Speak English less than "very well"	4,081	+/-550

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	Estimate	Margin of Error
Other Pacific Island languages:	2,554	+/-797
Speak English "very well"	1,126	+/-271
Speak English less than "very well"	1,428	+/-698
Navajo:	171	+/-150
Speak English "very well"	85	+/-77
Speak English less than "very well"	86	+/-81
Other Native North American languages:	45	+/-33
Speak English "very well"	23	+/-22
Speak English less than "very well"	22	+/-25
Hungarian:	219	+/-116
Speak English "very well"	140	+/-86
Speak English less than "very well"	79	+/-62
Arabic:	1,128	+/-423
Speak English "very well"	793	+/-350
Speak English less than "very well"	335	+/-181
Hebrew:	1,313	+/-396
Speak English "very well"	1,134	+/-361
Speak English less than "very well"	179	+/-116
African languages:	1,211	+/-436
Speak English "very well"	782	+/-345
Speak English less than "very well"	429	+/-163
Other and unspecified languages:	209	+/-131
Speak English "very well"	114	+/-79
Speak English less than "very well"	95	+/-87

Data are based on a sample and are subject to sampling variability. The degree of uncertainty for an estimate arising from sampling variability is represented through the use of a margin of error. The value shown here is the 90 percent margin of error. The margin of error can be interpreted roughly as providing a 90 percent probability that the interval defined by the estimate minus the margin of error and the estimate plus the margin of error (the lower and upper confidence bounds) contains the true value. In addition to sampling variability, the ACS estimates are subject to nonsampling error (for a discussion of nonsampling variability, see Accuracy of the Data). The effect of nonsampling error is not represented in these tables.

Methodological changes to data collection in 2013 may have affected language data for 2013. Users should be aware of these changes when using multi-year data containing data from 2013.

While the 2010-2014 American Community Survey (ACS) data generally reflect the February 2013 Office of Management and Budget (OMB) definitions of metropolitan and micropolitan statistical areas; in certain instances the names, codes, and boundaries of the principal cities shown in ACS tables may differ from the OMB definitions due to differences in the effective dates of the geographic entities.

Estimates of urban and rural population, housing units, and characteristics reflect boundaries of urban areas defined based on Census 2010 data. As a result, data for urban and rural areas from the ACS do not necessarily reflect the results of ongoing urbanization.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2010-2014 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates

Explanation of Symbols:

- 1. An '**' entry in the margin of error column indicates that either no sample observations or too few sample observations were available to compute a standard error and thus the margin of error. A statistical test is not appropriate.
- 2. An '-' entry in the estimate column indicates that either no sample observations or too few sample observations were available to compute an estimate, or a ratio of medians cannot be calculated because one or both of the median estimates falls in the lowest interval or upper interval of an open-ended distribution.
 - 3. An '-' following a median estimate means the median falls in the lowest interval of an open-ended distribution.
 - 4. An '+' following a median estimate means the median falls in the upper interval of an open-ended distribution.
- 5. An '***' entry in the margin of error column indicates that the median falls in the lowest interval or upper interval of an open-ended distribution. A statistical test is not appropriate.
 - 6. An '*****' entry in the margin of error column indicates that the estimate is controlled. A statistical test for sampling variability is not appropriate.
- 7. An 'N' entry in the estimate and margin of error columns indicates that data for this geographic area cannot be displayed because the number of sample cases is too small.

8. An '(X)' means that the estimate is not applicable or not available.

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